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is of special blend—of fine flavor and has become deservedly popular among all who appreciate carefully selected, blended and properly roasted Coffee.

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Etc.

## AT HUBER'S

**YOU** will find here the largest and best stock in the city and at a very reasonable price. We carry a complete line of candies, nuts, fruits and of everything good to eat for the holiday trade. Come here first. It will save you the trouble and time of going elsewhere. It's the

Main Store on Main Street

### Made of Handkerchiefs

Dainty Holiday Gifts That Are Easily Made and Inexpensive

By JULIA BOTTOMLEY

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In casting about for gifts that are inexpensive but attractive and worth while, nothing will be found more satisfying than handkerchiefs. They are made in the greatest variety in size, decoration, quality and style. Manufacturers design them for many uses and consider the needs of those who convert them into accessories of dress and furnishings. Any number of the personal belongings of women and children are easily made from them, and, what with the real beauty of the handkerchiefs and the hand work involved, these little gifts embody the essentials of tasteful Christmas gifts; no matter how small the cost.

Handkerchiefs for fancy work and dress accessories may be bought for less money than other equally attractive articles. They will cost from five to fifty cents each. The average for pretty, daintily finished linen ones will be in the neighborhood of twenty cents; good designs may be had for fifteen cents, showing printed borders, and a quarter will buy a good grade of linen with some embroidery. Narrow hemstitched edges or small embroidered scallops are decorative, figuring in the designs in neckwear and other accessories made from handkerchiefs.



Turn-Over Collar and Jabot.

Val of Cluny lace and narrow ribbons are used with them. Lace-edged handkerchiefs are inexpensive and are especially adapted to making the neckwear fashionable at present.

A turn-over collar and jabot is shown here, made of a sheer lawn handkerchief edged with a narrow Cluny insertion and a Val lace edging. It is very simply constructed.

Cut off from one side of a lace-edged handkerchief a strip three inches wide and divide this strip into two equal parts. Make a straight band of mull three inches wide and of the required length and hem it all round with a quarter-inch hem. Sew to one edge of this strip the two short lace-edged strips cut from the handkerchief, turning the corners to the middle of the strip. Allow the lace edges to overlap at this point. Turn in all raw edges and hem down. Lay the remainder of the handkerchief in small side plaits, forming a jabot, and sew to the lower edge of the neck band at the center.

To make a plain turn-over collar and cuffs select a sheer, dainty hand-



A Pretty Bib.

kerchief with narrow hemstitched hem and a little embroidery. Use a three-inch strip from one side, sewed to a straight band of mull, for the collar. Two remaining edges will make the cuffs. They should be cut a half-inch wider than the collar to allow for turning over the sleeve. Finish the raw end of each cuff with a narrow hand-sewed hem.

For a jabot, select a lace-edged or embroidered handkerchief in sheer lawn of linen or cotton. Cut the handkerchief in two pieces on a diagonal line extending from a point three inches in from one corner, to a point three inches in from the opposite corner. Sew one or both of these pieces in a scant ruffle to a straight band of insertion or fine embroidery, with their widest portions at the top of this strip. Hem the ends of the strip. Beading may be used instead of insertion, or ribbon 1½ inches wide laid in fine plaits as shown in the net and lace jabot pictured here.

A dainty bib is shown made of the corners of a child's sheer linen handkerchief. A narrow hemstitched border is edged with fine Val lace. The little spray of fine embroidery in the corner sets it off.

Pretty baby bonnets are made of hemstitched sheer lawn handkerchiefs. Choose a moderately large size and run a few narrow tucks along one

side. Cut the front from a paper pattern, which may be bought at any dry-goods store. The back is a little circle with a medallion of embroidery. The remaining edges of the handkerchief will furnish a finish for the tie ends.

Aprons are easily made. The simplest is shown here, with one corner cut away for the waist line. This corner is used to make the pocket. Sewing aprons are made of larger handkerchiefs gathered to a waist band. The bottom is turned up and stitched



Dainty Baby Bonnet.

down to form three pockets for thread, scissors, etc.

One large handkerchief will make a pair of oversleeves for office wear. Double a man's handkerchief twice and cut the sleeves by the lower part of a coat sleeve pattern. The corners left are to be cut off and sewed to the oversleeves to form the cuffs.

One large handkerchief will make two hair receivers. Cut the handkerchief into two equal pieces. Fold down the hem corner of one of the strips and sew the hemmed and raw edges together (turning in the raw edge). This forms the front of the bag. Fold the remaining portion up and back—this forms the bag and top. Finish with a band of wide beading across the top of the bag. Run ribbon in this and trim with the ribbon bows.

Dresser scarfs, pillow shams and table covers are made by setting small



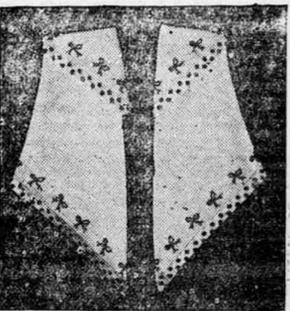
A Simple Apron.

handkerchiefs together with lace insertion. They may be edged with lace. Handkerchief cases are made by folding three corners of a fancy handkerchief to the center and tacking them together. Sew a small pearl button here. Place a little loop covered with a bow of baby ribbon on the other corner.

Laundry bags are pretty made of two handkerchiefs cat-stitched together on three sides. A tape casing is sewed inside the top and baby ribbon run in this closes the bag and serves to hang it also.

Many pretty caps are made from handkerchiefs. Dusting caps are made by sewing a tape casing to large printed cotton handkerchiefs (men's) and running in an elastic. The corners are turned up and tacked to place. Breakfast caps are lace trimmed and decorated with ribbon bows.

The pretty little gifts will cost, all told, from fifteen to fifty cents each—some less and others a little more.



Oversleeves for Office Wear.

Those on which lace and ribbon are used in quantities are still inexpensive as compared with equally good gifts of other kinds.

Home-Made Gift Suggestions. White felt padding for tea-table cloths, cut in the required size and neatly bordered with white tape.

Bureau and pincushion covers of bright cretonne, edged with a coarse white curtain lace.

Kitchen bags of brown crash, with bright tapes, for the old bits of damask used for polishing glass.

Fancy baskets of sweet grass, with cretonne linings, for holding keys.

### DISTRIBUTING THE GIFTS

Some Novel Ways That Will Please the Recipients and Add to the Occasion.

Should one wish something more original than Christmas gifts awkwardly thrust into one's hands by the giver; should the time-honored stocking pail, here are several new ways that may cause excitement in present distribution.

Some member of the family or one of the maids can enter the breakfast room, where the table is prettily decorated with greens, but no gifts are displayed. She should be heavily veiled, dressed in a long rain coat and carry two or three cotton umbrellas, furled.

Her appearance will excite surprise, particularly if the sun shines. She will insist that it is going to rain and try to get her umbrellas raised.

Some of the children will offer to assist and from the umbrella will fall the packages, gaily tied and clearly addressed. Anything that may suffer from a tumble should be tied to the ribs.

In one household the large family has decided that each person shall hunt up some novel way of gift presentation. No one will know what the other has selected, but the element of surprise will be emphasized.

A mother who wishes to avoid confusion at the breakfast table has decided that no presentation should be made then. The family will be asked to put their various presents in a certain room on Christmas eve. All are neatly tied and addressed. No one but mother knows what is to become of them.

At close of breakfast the next morning—Christmas—the door bell rings and a maid brings in an immediate delivery letter. This is gaily decorated with the season's stamps and seals.

When opened, it is found to be a letter from Santa Claus, saying his pack was too heavy, so he has forwarded by express all his gifts. In a few minutes a huge box is delivered in the kitchen which when opened is found to contain packages addressed to each one.

Another easier way is to pass a tray covered with a number of small keys with red ribbon and a Christmas tag attached. On the tag is written the child's name and the information that somewhere in the house is concealed a bag the key will open.

Then begins a hunt into all sorts of out-of-the-way places to find great bags of turkey red muslin, draped with greens and fastened at the top with a padlock. Each bag holds the gifts for one member of the family.

### Stockings For Christmas Only.

The Christmas stocking as generally known is one taken from the bureau supply for daily wear. In certain parts of the country, however, the Christmas stocking is never in use except to be hung from the chimney with care. The New England stocking of this kind is usually long in the leg and knitted from woolen yarn. There are stockings on Cape Cod which have been used by four generations of children. Once emptied of their treasure on Christmas morning they are rolled up and marked and laid away for the next year's festivities.

### Cured in Her Own Home Town.

Kearney, Neb., Mrs. Belle Harlan, 1318-8th Ave., tells the way for her fellow townsmen to be cured of their kidney and bladder ailments, as she was cured. "I had a severe attack of kidney trouble when I heard of Foley Kidney Pills and took them. I had a severe pain across my back and felt miserable and all played out, but after taking Foley's Kidney Pills the pain left my back and I felt greatly improved and once more full of life. Today I am glad to say I am free from kidney trouble and gladly recommend Foley Kidney Pills to all who suffer, as they cured me." A. McMillen.

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### An Alarm At Night

that strikes terror to the entire household is the loud, hoarse and metallic cough of croup. No mistaking it, and fortunate then the lucky parents who keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound on hand. H. W. Casselman, Canton, N. Y., says: "It is worth its weight in gold. Our little children are troubled with croup and hoarseness, and all we give them is Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. I always have a bottle of it in the house." A. McMillen.

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And little Minnie tears her dress,  
And all the babies cry,—  
Oh, don't sit down and moan and sigh,  
And fret and worry so,  
But dress the kidlets and yourself,  
And see The Electric Picture Show.

When all the World looks blue to you,  
And you begin to fag,—  
Your head to ache, your heart to break,  
And appetite to flag,—  
Just lock the door and leave your cares  
Behind you as you go,  
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